

DISTRICT REPORTS.

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BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

Average for the past five years of the corresponding week. *Current.*

Prices of food grains—Boiled rice (2nd sort)	7.24	7.19	Quantity per rupee by the standard seer of 80 tolas.
Ragi	14.22	15.47	
Rangoon rice (2nd sort)		7.19	

Agricultural operations.—Manure is being collected. Floor is being prepared for the thrashing of grains.

Cattle are healthy. Water and fodder are available.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Market is well supplied.
9. *Progress of agricultural operations.*—Paddy is being harvested in parts of Channapatna, Anekal, Nelamangala, Magadi, Davanahalli and Hoskote Taluks. Ragi is being harvested in parts of Nelamangala, Doddballapur, Magadi and Channapatna Taluks. Sugar-cane is being cut and milled in parts of Bangalore, Nelamangala, Kankanahalli, Channapatna and Devanahalli Taluks. Horse gram and avare are being harvested in parts of Nelamangala, Hoskote, Channapatna, Devanahalli Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk. Castor is being harvested in parts of Magadi Taluk. Togari is being harvested in parts of Nelamangala, Magadi and Channapatna Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk. Paddy fields are being ploughed in parts of Anekal Taluk for sowing Vaisakhi paddy.
- State of standing crops.*—Sugar-cane, paddy, avare and Bengal gram are in fair condition.
- Crops harvested and their outturn.*—Paddy, 8 to 12 annas; ragi, 4 to 12 annas; sugar-cane 8 to 12 annas; horse gram and avare 4 to 12 annas.
10. The prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available. Labour is available to cooly classes.
11. Except for plague in certain parts of Bangalore, Devanahalli, Doddballapur, Nelamangala, Anekal Taluks and Closepet Sub-Taluk, public health is generally good.
12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Market is well supplied.
9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of Kolar, Bowringpet, Mulbagal, Bagepalli, Goribidnur, Malur and Srinivasapur Taluks and Gudibanda Sub-Taluk; cholum in parts of Bagepalli Taluk and sugar-cane in parts of Srinivasapur Taluk.
- Crops harvested and their outturn.*—Kolar Taluk—Paddy, 12 annas, sugar-cane, horse gram and togari, 16 annas; Bowringpet Taluk—horse gram, 4 to 6 annas, avare 8 annas and gingelly, 2 annas; Chintamani Taluk—sugar-cane 8 annas; Mulbagal Taluk—sugar-cane, 12 annas, horse gram, 4 annas; Sidlaghatta Taluk—sugar-cane, horse gram, avare, togari, 12 annas; Chikballapur Taluk—sugar-cane, horse gram, avare and togari, 12 annas; Bagepalli Taluk—sugar-cane, 12 annas, avare and horse gram, 4 annas; Goribidnur Taluk—sugar-cane, 8 to 10 annas; Malur Taluk—horse gram, 8 to 12 annas, sugar-cane and avare, 16 annas; togari, 8 to 12 annas; Srinivasapur Taluk—sugar-cane, 16 annas, horse gram, 8 annas; Gudibanda Sub-Taluk—sugar-cane, 12 to 16 annas.
- Standing crops.*—Paddy, sugar-cane, avare, togari and horse gram are reported to be in good condition.
10. Prospects of the season are good. Prices of food grains continue high. Labour is available to cooly classes.
11. But for plague in parts of Bowringpet and Sidlaghatta Taluks and small-pox in parts of Mulbagal and Srinivasapur Taluks, public health is generally good.
12. Cattle are generally healthy. Pasture, fodder and water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Crops sown*.—Paddy in parts of Maddagiri, Sira and Pavagada Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk; cholam in parts of Maddagiri Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Tumkur Taluk—avare, togari and horse gram; Maddagiri Taluk—togari, horse gram, avare and sugar-cane; Chiknayakanhalli Taluk—avare, togari, cholam and Bengal gram; Sira Taluk—horse gram, togari, avare, haraka, navane, ragi and sugar-cane; Gubbi Taluk—paddy; Tiptur Taluk—avare, togari, horse gram, castor, til and Bengal gram; Pavagada Taluk—castor, groundnuts, cotton, horse gram and togari; Kunigal Taluk—avare, togari, paddy, castor and sugar-cane; Koratagere Sub-Taluk—sugar-cane; Turuvekere Sub-Taluk—Bengal gram, avare, horse gram and castor.

Standing crops.—Bengal gram, sugar-cane, paddy, avare, castor, horse gram, cholam, cotton, ragi, chillies, wheat and groundnuts are reported to be in fair condition.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good.

12. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

MYSORE.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations*.—Nil.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, castor, Bengal gram, avare, cotton, mulberry, coriander and togari, are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Chamrajnagar Taluk—Paddy, sugar-cane, ragi and castor; Heggaddevankote Taluk—horse gram; Gundlupet Taluk—sugar-cane and Bengal gram; Nanjangud Taluk—paddy; Malvalli Taluk—avare and paddy; Mandya Taluk—ragi, horse gram and avare; Krishnarajpet Taluk—horse gram and avare; Nagamangala Taluk—paddy, horse gram and avare.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good. Food stuffs are available.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in parts of the Taluks of Seringapatam, Hunsur, Yedatore, Heggaddevankote, Gundlupet, Nanjangud and Krishnarajpete Taluks.

12. Except for Mouth disease and Chappe Roga in parts of the Heggaddevankote Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy. Water and fodder are available.

HASSAN.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Standing crops*.—Avare, togari, Bengal gram, sugar-cane, car paddy, coriander and mentha in the Hassan Taluk; sugar-cane, avare and castor, in the Arkalgud Taluk; sugar-cane, in the Belur Taluk; sugar-cane, avare, togari and Bengal gram in the Channarayapatna Taluk; avare, Bengal gram in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk; are reported to be in fair condition.

Crops harvested.—Arkalgud Taluk—togari, avare and horse gram; Belur Taluk—togari, avare, Bengal gram, horse gram; Channarayapatna Taluk—paddy, sugar-cane, horse gram, gingelly, avare and togari; Hole-Narsipur Taluk—avare.

10. Prospects of the season are generally good.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in Hassan, Buvanahalli and Dodda-Ganigere of the Hassan Taluk; and in Halebidu, Pandithanahalli and Adagur of the Belur Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations*.—Lands are being ploughed in parts of Shimoga and Sorab Taluks. Thrashing of paddy continues in Shimoga, Sorab, Sagur and Nagar Taluks.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks; yennigar cholam, Bengal gram, togari, cotton and wheat in Channagiri and Honnali Taluks and avare in Shimoga, Channagiri and Honnali Taluks are in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Yennigar cholum, Bengal gram, togari, cotton and wheat in Channagiri and Honnali Taluks and avare in Shimoga, Channagiri and Honnali Taluks are being harvested. Sugar-cane is being milled in parts of Shimoga, Channagiri, Honnali, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar, and Tirthahalli Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Food stuffs are available.

11. But for plague in parts of Shimoga, Channagiri and Honnali Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk, and ague and fever in Channagiri and Sorab Taluks, public health is generally good.

12. Fodder and water are available. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Rinderpest in parts of Channagiri, Sorab, Sagar and Nagar Taluks and Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

KADUR.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed in the Tarikere and Mudgere Taluks.

Crops sown.—Nil.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur Taluk—sugar-cane; Kadur Taluk—Bengal gram, sugar-cane, horse gram, castor, garlic and wheat; Tarikere Taluk—sugar-cane, castor, wheat and Bengal gram; Koppa Taluk—sugar-cane and pepper; Mudgere Taluk—coffee and areca; Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk—coffee. All these crops are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Chikmagalur Taluk—Coffee and Bengal gram; Kadur Taluk—navane, and chillies; Tarikere Taluk—Bengal gram; Koppa and Mudgere Taluks—areca and coffee; Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk—coffee.

10. Prospects of the season are good. Supply of food stuffs is sufficient.

11. Except for plague in the Lakya hobli of the Chikmagalur Taluk and in parts of Tarikere Taluk and Pneumonia in the Chikmagalur Town, public health is generally good.

12. Doddaroga is reported to prevail among cattle in Garugadahalli village of the Kadur Taluk, in parts of Tarikere Taluk and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk and Metreroga in parts of Chikmagalur Taluk. Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market is well supplied.

9. *Standing crops.*—Cotton, cholum (white), sugar-cane, paddy, castor, horse gram, Bengal gram, wheat, togari, beans and chillies are reported to be in fair condition.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Chitaldrug Taluk—togari, Bengal gram and cotton, 8 annas; Davangere Taluk—togari, ragi, cholum and cotton; Hiriyr Taluk—togari and Bengal gram; Challakere Taluk—horse gram, togari and castor, 4 to 8 annas; Holalkere Taluk—Bengal gram and sugar-cane, 8 annas; Hosdurga Taluk—togari, beans and horse gram, 8 annas; Jagalur Taluk—togari and horse gram; Molakalmuru Taluk—ragi and cholum, 12 annas.

Seeds sown.—Paddy and sugar-cane in the Hiriyr Taluk and paddy in the Challakere Taluk (in wet lands) were sown during the week.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Food stocks are available.

11. Public health is generally good, except for plague in a few villages in the Davangere Taluk.

12. Cattle are generally healthy. Rinderpest is still prevailing in the Taluks of Davangere, Challakere, Hosdurga and Jagalur. Water and fodder are available.

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